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#### CONTINUING APPLICATION INFORMATION

This application is a **Continuation** of the following United States applications, each of which is incorporated herein by reference:

09/670,182, filed September 26, 2000, 08/922,905, filed September 3, 1997, which issued on September 26, 2000 as U.S. Patent No. 6,123,688, 08/699,998, filed August 20, 1996, which issued on August 4, 1998 as U.S. Patent No. 5,788,677

#### PRIORITY APPLICATIONS

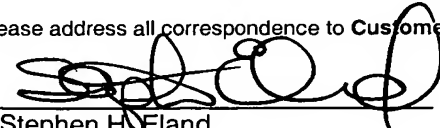
This application claims priority to the following application(s), each of which is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

#### **U.S. Provisional Applications:**

60/002,630, filed August 22, 1995; 60/004,450, filed September 29, 1995; 60/005,895, filed October 26, 1995; 60/025,342, filed September 3, 1996 and 60/050,797, filed June 26, 1997.

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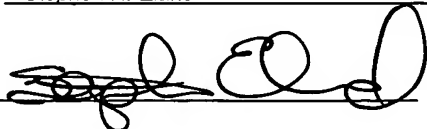
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